

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:  
William K. Bodin, *et al.*

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Title: Administering Devices with Domain  
State Objects

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**RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED DECEMBER 29, 2006**

Dear Sir:

This is a Response to the Office Action dated December 29, 2006 (hereafter "the Office Action"). Claims 1-21 are in the case. Applicants present the following amendment and remarks demonstrating that the case is in condition for allowance.

**AMENDMENT**

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**There are no amendments to the Drawings in this paper.**

**There are no amendments to the Specification in this paper.**

**Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on  
page 2 of this paper.**

**Remarks begin on page 7 of this paper.**